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Talk with your doctor about Ayer's non-alcoholic Sarsaparilla. Ask him if he prescribes it for pale, delicate children. Ask him if he recommends it when the blood is thin and impure, and when the nerves are weak and unsteady. Ask him if it aids nature in building up the general health.

News of Theatres

Miss Edith Tallaferra, the youngest leading woman in America, and the second of the Tallaferra sisters to become famous in the last two years, will be seen for the first time at the head of her own company in the celebrated American comedy "Polly of the Circus" at the Kentucky, for two nights, commencing Wednesday, March 17. This young girl, who has a number of years to go yet before she gets out of her teens, will be seen in the leading cities in the country with the exception of those visited by her sister, Mabel, at the head of an organization comprising some of the best actors and actresses in America. It is doubtful if in the whole history of American drama so young a girl has headed a really first-class dramatic organization.

The Holy City comes to the Kentucky the 15. This play has met great favor with a certain element of theater-goers, and meets with good support at every succeeding season. The production coming here is said to be up to the standard set by former productions.

"The Cow-Puncher" which opens a matinee and night engagement at the Kentucky on Saturday, March 18.

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Paducah, Ky.

20. It has already established itself into favor in the east. Its chief charm is its plain and wholesome sentiment. It appeals to the heart, and at times flashes of bright comedy creep forth that seem to fit in, and lend color and atmosphere to the story.

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"So your boy Josh is an inventor?"
"Yes," answered Farmer Cornetzel. "He has invented a lot of labor saving devices."
"What are they?"
"Excuses for not working,"—Washington Star.

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CLARENCE BENNETT'S

THE HOLY CITY

With

Pauline Harice as "Salome"
"Princess of Galilee"

The most sublime play ever written. Endorsed by the clergy, press and public.

SEAT SALE

POLLY OF THE CIRCUS
Wednesday and Thursday March 17 and 18

OPENS MONDAY

PRICES: Orchestra, \$1.50; first five rows balcony, \$1; balance of balcony, 75c. Gallery, 50c and 75c.

N. Y. CENTRAL WILL SPEND \$35,000,000

Eastern System for Betterment of Lines.

Grade Crossings Eliminated at Buffalo—\$4,000,000 for Improving New York Station.

\$3,000,000 IN STEEL RAILS

New York, March 13.—Subsequent to the announcement last week that it will spend \$9,000,000 for new equipment this year, the New York Central railroad has made public its entire yearly budget. This calls for the expenditure of \$35,000,000.

One of the most comprehensive schemes of improvement ever undertaken by this company in any one year is planned for 1909. In addition to the \$9,000,000 equipment order, the New York Central will expend \$3,000,000 for steel rails.

Will Eliminate Grade Crossings.
Elimination of grade crossings at Buffalo, an improvement decided upon some time ago, will entail a cost of \$1,500,000. Terminal betterments now in progress at the Grand Central station in New York will necessitate an expenditure of \$4,000,000.

The remainder of the vast sum to be expended on construction work during 1909 will be applied to the building of additional tracks, needed because of traffic increases, terminal facilities and the equipment of the main line of the system with automatic switches.

It is reported that 31 miles of double tracks will be constructed between Rome, Watertown, and Ogdensburg. This is taken by railroad men to mean the initial step in the double tracking of the entire system.

During the last ten years the New York Central lines have expended \$285,000,000 for physical improvements and betterments.

Railroads Show Increases.
Railroads of the United States reporting for the three weeks of February show total gross earnings of \$20,058,332, a gain of 13 per cent over last year. The south and southwest roads continue to make the larger gains. The following table presents the earnings of the United States roads reporting for the three weeks in February and for a like period in January:

Gross earnings February, 1909, three weeks, \$20,058,332; gain, \$2,309,164; per cent, 13.0; gross earnings, January, 1909, \$16,565,941; gain, \$1,389,134; per cent, 9.2.

Gains are reported on all groups of roads over last year, with the exception of the coal roads and the Pacific systems, and the increase is large on the other eastern roads, southern and southwestern systems.

Two Cent Law Plans.
A meeting of the executive committee of the Western Passenger association to discuss the recent decision of Judge McPherson and map out their plans, was held in Chicago yesterday. The decision in the Missouri rate case opens a way for possible action in this state against the 2 cent law.

When the 2 cent law became effective in Illinois a committee was appointed by the Western Passenger association to decide upon the steps to be taken by them. This committee, however, never made a report, waiting for a termination to the litigation in Missouri. Now that the latter has been reached it is expected that this committee will file its report, which will record the probable action of the Western Passenger association as regards the 2 cent law in Illinois.

Today a meeting will be held in St. Louis by the executive committee of the Missouri roads.

In many instances these roads, anticipating the decision of Judge McPherson, have new tariffs already prepared. Little time will be lost therefore in making effective the 2 cent mileage. At the conclusion of these passenger conferences it is believed that announcements of advanced rates will immediately be made.

A meeting has been called for March 17 in Chicago by the freight clearing exchange. Important matters as regards the handling of cars will be discussed and definite action taken. This more especially relates to cars handled at Chicago by the Western Freight association.

CONFERENCE

BETWEEN CITIZENS AND THE INTERURBAN MEN

Will Be Held at City Hall March 18 at 2:30 O'clock, it is stated.

The date for the conference between the Paducah and Ohio Interurban line and the Commercial club of this city has been changed from March 25 to March 18, next Thursday. The meeting will be held at the city hall at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The meeting is for the purpose of raising money to float bonds.

GANS HAD BEST OF JABEZ WHITE

In Ten Round Boxing Match at New York.

Bell Saved Knockout When Colored Chap Sent Englishman to Floor at End of Seventh.

LOTS OF BLOWS WERE WASTED.

New York, March 13.—The bout between Joe Gans, ex-light weight champion, and Jabez White, light-weight champion of England, ended favorably to Gans at the close of the ten rounds.

First round—White led twice for head but was blocked. Gans jabbed a left to the face and sent a right to the jaw. White swung a hard left to the nose. Gans hooked a right to the jaw.

Second—White swung left to the stomach and chest and Gans jabbed his left to the jaw. White responded liberally and when the round ended had a good margin.

Third—White forced the fighting most of this round but both did some effective work and at the end the honors were even.

Fourth—White led a left for the chin, sent a right to the jaw, and landed hard on the stomach. Gans uppercut with his right and sent in a straight right to the stomach, following it up with a right hook to the jaw. White continued hard work and Gans seemed to be in distress and was weak at the bell.

Fifth—Gans did the most effective hammering in this round, but neither man was in trouble at any time.

Sixth—Gans jabbed a left to face and hooked a right to the head; a right to the jaw twice and sent another harder one, putting White down for nine seconds. Gans uppercut twice with the right and White went down again for the count of eight. White was groggy at the bell.

Seventh—White came up weak and after a few more exchanges was sent down, the bell saving him in the count.

Eighth—Neither man did much in this round, both apparently being very tired.

Ninth—A very tame round, blows being light and without effect.

Tenth—Joe landed heavy right to the wind and swung a right to ear. Joe did all the forcing. He hooked a right to the jaw, but missed right and left swings. White swung a right to the head and although it had little force, it halted Gans. White swung again to the head and rapped it until the wind. They were sparring at the bell.

Not a Pleasant Prospect.
Mr. Hudson Maxim, the noted inventor, has launched into bitter invective against congress. Truly, at this session, the prayer might well be uttered that our national legislators stop doing the things they ought not to do and begin on those they should.

One of these latter is an appropriation of \$5,000,000 for airship experiments. Invention moves in leaps where she crawls a few years ago. Today, the airship of war is an experiment; tomorrow, a blasting reality. Said Mr. Maxim:

"The American people must realize that in the next war they will

CONGENIAL WORK
And Strength to Perform It.

A person in good health is likely to have a genial disposition, ambition, and enjoy work.

On the other hand, if the digestive organs have been upset by wrong food, work becomes drudgery.

"Until recently," writes a Washington girl, "I was a railroad stenographer, which means full work every day."

"Like many other girls alone in a large city, I lived at a boarding house. For breakfast it was mush, greasy meat, soggy cakes, black coffee, etc."

"After a few months of this diet I used to feel sleepy and heavy in the mornings. My work seemed a terrible effort, and I thought the work was to blame—too arduous."

"At home I had heard my father speak of a young fellow who went long distances in the cold on Grape-Nuts and cream and nothing more for breakfast."

"I concluded if it would tide him over a morning's heavy work, it might help me, so on my way home one night I bought a package and next morning I had Grape-Nuts and milk for breakfast."

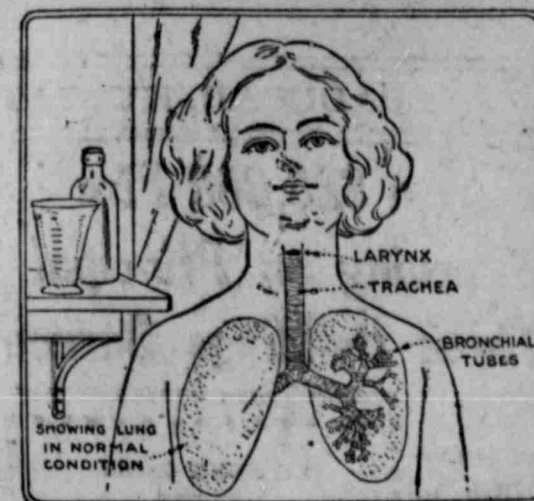
"I stuck to Grape-Nuts, and in less than two weeks I noticed improvement. I can't just tell how well I felt, but I remember I used to walk the 12 blocks to business and knew how good it was simply to live."

"As to my work—well, did you ever feel the delight of having congenial work and the strength to perform it? That's how I felt. I truly believe there's life and vigor in every grain of Grape-Nuts."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Settled Colds Are Always Dangerous. CONSUMPTION BEGINS WITH A COLD



A Heavy Cold.
Samuel McKinley, 1200 Askew Ave., Kansas City, Mo., member of the Society of the United States Jewelry Auctioneers, writes:

"I can honestly say that I owe my life to Peruna. After some of the best doctors in the country gave me up and told me I could not live another month, Peruna saved me."

"Traveling from town to town, throughout the country, and having to go into all kinds of badly heated stores and buildings, sometimes standing up for hours at a time while plying my trade as auctioneer, it is only natural that I had colds frequently; so when this would occur I paid little attention to it, until last December, when I contracted a severe case, which, through neglect on my part, settled on my lungs."

"When almost too late, I began doctoring, but without avail, until I heard of Peruna. It cured me, so I cannot praise it too highly."

Nasal Catarrh, Coughs.

Mr. Emil Pickart, 510 Indiana Ave., Hammond, Ill., writes:

"I am entirely cured of catarrh of the nose, and my stomach is in good condition also. I only used about five bottles of your great medicine, although I had catarrh so bad and for so many years that I thought I wouldn't live much longer. I had to consult doctors right along. Now all my friends say I never looked as well as I do now."

"I can also say that it is a great remedy for coughs, because I give it to my children. I never will be without it. I used enough other medicine to know how valuable Peruna is."

"You are at liberty to use my name in spreading the merits of Peruna."

not be permitted to sit comfortably by the fireside and read about the conduct of the war in distant parts, for the enemy may at any moment light from the sky and bring the

Settled on Lungs.

Mr. Charles A. Schafer, Nebraska City, Neb., Ex-President Local Brotherhood of Bookbinders, writes:

"I am pleased to give my experience with Peruna."

"Some years ago I contracted a heavy cold which settled in my body and finally resulted in catarrhal trouble of the lungs and stomach."

"I tried many remedies, but found nothing effective until I tried Peruna. In a very few days I was feeling much better, and as the result was so promising I was glad to keep on using it. In about a month the soreness had entirely left my joints, I felt much better, and the catarrh was being carried out of my system."

latest war news right to their doors." The curious part of it is that Mr. Maxim is no dreamer.—Boston Post.

It's no trouble at all to find trouble.

"I used Peruna for about two months before I was able to say that I was entirely well, but I have never regretted the money which I expended for it, for it has put me in perfect health."

Catarrh for Five Years.

Mr. S. S. Johnson, Greenville, Ill., writes:

"I was for five years troubled with catarrh. Two years ago I had one foot in the grave. I had tried seven doctors and also went to a catarrh specialist in St. Louis, and took several kinds of medicine a day. I could not walk more than a hundred yards without resting."

"My friends told me to take Peruna, and I did so. I now feel that Peruna has saved my life. It is the best medicine on earth, and I would not be without it."

Many a tailored suit covers a lot of hand-me-down sins.

No man ever spoke truth without hearing it echo in heaven.

Set a Trap for the

MORTGAGE

The rats gnaw a hole through the cupboard door and nibble a little at the cheese, but there's nothing about the house that eats so much, or that eats so steadily as the mortgage.

SUNDAYS, holidays, and while you sleep, it goes gnawing away at the home, and some of these days, if something should happen to you, the mortgage will swallow up the home, and the wife and little ones will fall heir to a foreclosure suit. WHY NOT SET A TRAP FOR IT?

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Eats up the mortgage if you die; catches it at the end of twenty years if you live, and leaves you with the home free of incumbrances during your old age.

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